



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kate E. Nordland

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Examiner: James N. Smalley

For: LEAK-RESISTANT POLYMERIC FOAM  
CONTAINERS

Attorney Docket No.: 86012-34000  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

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Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for responding to the Final Official Action dated January 11, 2006 be extended for a period of one (1) month from April 11, 2006, the date now set, to and including May 11, 2006.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$120.00. Please charge the required fee to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814. Applicant authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees and/or credit any overpayments associated with this paper, or the Amendment submitted herewith, to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814, Ref. No. 086012-34000-USPT.

Respectfully submitted,

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